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In re: Application of VO-DINH

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For: INTEGRATED BIOCHIP WITH CONTINUOUS SAMPLING AND PROCESSING (CSP) SYSTEM

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Sir:

Please amend the above-identified application as follows.

Amendments to the Specification begin on p. 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 3 of this paper.